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Exchange Makes New Ruling to Protect Public in Promotions.

BROKERS GET WARNING

Members Must Give Full Data of Any Concerns Floating Stock.

HOPE TO HALT FAILURES

Resolution Follows Efforts of

'New York Herald' to Reveal

Financial Crooks.

The Consolidated Stock Exchange announced yesterday that its governing committee had adopted a new rule under which any member paraticipating in the sale of securities of a promotion will be required to place full information regarding the operation before the recently created business welfare committee of the exchange.

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The fallure of any member to make strued as a violation of section 3 of article 13 of the constitution, which is directed against acts "detrimental to the interests or welfare of the exchange," and carries the penalty of uspension or expulsion.

"This action is in line with the policy of the Consolidated Stock Exchange to do eyerything in its power to safeguard further the interests of that part of the investing public dealing with its members," said W. S. Silkworth, president.
"Every promotion in which any member is engaged or proposes to engage will be carefully scrutnized by the busi-

Magistrate Smith in Tomos court yes-terday dismissed a grand larceny sum-mons against William H. McKenna and Algernon Brown, partners in the bank-rupt firm of William H. McKenna & Co., stock brokers. Benjamin Levine of 1073 East Twelfth street, Brooklyn, a customer, alleged that he paid \$2,000 for Loft stock throwshy the unions office of

Magistrate Smith held that the complainant failed to show that McKenna Sack of Jamaica out of about \$20,000 or Brown had personal knowledge of the transaction, which, Levine said, took worth of stock. place through an agent.

C. W. MORSE TESTIFIES

IN SHIP BOARD CASE

Appears in Virginia Company Suit for \$6,000.000.

Alexandria Va., Oct. 25.—Seizure by the Shipping Board of nine vessels belonging to the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, the basis of suit by the corporation to recover \$6,000.000, was due to alleged violations of contract by the shipbuilding concern, according to testimony in Federal Court here to-day by Rear Admiral Benson, retired, a Commissioner and former chairman of the board. Admiral Benson asserted that the corporation had broken three clauses of its contract which was regarded as warranting the Shipping Board in taking over the boats involved. Charles W. Morae of New York, former president of the Virginia corporation, was a witness to-day for brief technical details on contracts.

They were held in \$2,500 for hearing the gave them L.855 shares of Empire Steel and Tube L.855 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of the shock of 2,509 shares to a prospective Lawrence of

#### DR. W. W. KEEN SAYS DISEASE VOTE ON DR. FOSDICK IS BEING CHECKED AT BIRTH

Noted Philadelphian Gets Medal for Conspicuous Contributions to Advancement of Surgery-Reviews Sixty Years of Science's Progress.

## KARDOS & BURKE PUT ALLEGED CONFESSION DEBT AT \$2,156,076 CLEARS STOCK THEFT

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Neither Stock Nor Money.

Three stock brokers, doing business Loft stock through the uptown office of McKenna & Co., 25 West Forty-third street, but was unable to obtain deraigned in police court, Jamaica, L. I., on a charge of swindling Richard C.

The brokers are Harry Klein and Simon S. Robins of Brooklyn and Harry Parker, 118 West Seventy-second street, IN SHIP BOARD CASE They were held in \$2,500 for hearing

So He Could Steal.

Irving Miller, alias "J. S. Gordon," 23,

My Dear Secretary Densy:
Thank you for your note which
brings assurance of the notable success which seems certain to attend the
celebration of Navy Day on Friday,
October 27, in commemoration of past
and present services of the navy.
From our earliest national beginnings
the navy has always been, and deserved to be, an object of special pride
to the American people. Its record is
indeed one to inspire such sentiments
and I am very sure that such a commemoration as is planned will be a
timely reminder.

imely reminder.

It is well for us to have in mind It is well for us to have in mind that under a program of lessening navy armaments there is a greater reason for maintaining the highest efficiency, fitness and morale in this branch of the national defensive service. I know how earnestly the navy personnel is devoted to this ideal and want you to be assured of my hearty concurrence.

# PROTEST WAS SPLIT

Philadelphia Presbytery Stood 72 For, 21 Against Complaint.

OVERTURE MADE PUBLIC

Asks Special Action to Make First Church Preaching Conform.

Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25. - Nineteen nbers of the Presbytery of Philadel phia objected to the action of the Presbytery last week in sending an overture sermons the Rev. Dr. Harry Emers Fosdick is preaching in the First Pre byterian Church, New York. Desp their protest the overture was authorized by a vote of 72 to 21.

The protesting members included the Rev. Dr. Alexander MacColl, Walter S. McInnes, the Rev. Dr. Edward Yates Hill, the Rev. Edward B. Shaw, the Rev. Dr. John A. MacCallum, Isaac Porter, the Rev. Dr. George E. Barnes, George the Rev. Dr. George E. Barnes, George W. Magee, the Rev. H. Alfred Boggs, the Rev. Clifford L. Ledue, the Rev. Arthur Phillips, Harry C. Troutman, the Rev. Herman P. Guhse, the Rev. Dr. John Allan Blair, Dr. Collin Foulkrod, the Rev. Dr. J. Gray Bolton, John Baxter, the Rev. Walter Lims and the Rev. Alver W. Karnell

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The overture, published this morning in the Presbyterian, asks the General Assembly "to take special action as will require the preaching and teaching of the First Presbyterian Church of New York to conform to the system of doctrine taught in the confession of faith." Dr. Fosdick is not mentioned in the

overture.

In addition, the Presbytery calls attention to a pledge made by commissioners representing the New York Presbytery at the General Assembly of 1916, at Atlantic City, when an overture from the Presbytery of Cincinnatiasked that the New York Presbytery be exscinded from the Presbyterian Church because of its action in licensing candidates for the ministry whose opincandidates for the ministry whose opindid not conform to the confession

of faith.
The overture points, out that the com-

Ernest M. Allison of Sterling, Kan., pilot of the United States mail service, made what is believed to be a record flight yesterday from Cleveland to Curtiss Field. Mineola, L. I. He made the 435 miles in 168 minutes in a De Haviland plane equipped with a 400 horse power Liberty motor and carrying 500 pounds of mail.

The average speed was 155 5-14 miles an hour. The best previous record was by W. L. Smith, who made a non-stop flight eighteen months ago in 178 minutes.

Pennsylvania Railroad Is Back on 6 P. C. Basis

QUARTERLY dividend 1½ per cent, was declared yesterday by the directors Pennsylvania Railroad, an increase of one-half of 1 per cent. over the last previous dividend. It is payable on November 29 to stockholders of record of November 1. Pennsylvania stock sold at 491/2 on transactions of 2,700 shares im mediately after the announcement of the dividend, an increase of more than a point over Tuesday night's

### HERMIT FOUND DEAD UPON LONELY ROAD

'Mystery Man,' With \$365 in Pockets, Believed Robbers' Victim. .

Egg HARBOR, N. J., Oct. 25,-John Ditch, 80 years old, an eccentric and always considered a "mystery man," was found dead late last night. Henry Lehneis and August Weber, two young men returning from duck hunting, discovered the body ten feet from the main road between here and Green Banks. The body lay on its back, the arms stretched above the head. Finger nail gashes on both wrists were the only

marks.

Twenty feet away was a burlap bag in which Ditch was taking home his weekly purchase of provisions. He made these trips on foot.

Ditch had in his overalls pocket \$365. Police are working on the theory that some one who had seen him exhibit the roll of bills while making purchases held him was on the lonely road.

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The finger nail gashes on the wrists ad to this theory. Death followed, it believed, as a result of heart failure

Ditch had \$1.500 in a local bank. He arrived here about forty years ago. For thirty-eight years the hermit made his home in a dugout back in the swamps away from civilization. Ditch was well educated and spoke eight languages fluently. He had no relatives except a brother in New York, with whom he did not correspond. He was born in France, During a spell of good humor unusual with him he confided to an acquaintance here that he lived the hermit life because he had killed a sallor during a brawl in Spain.

WILL DEPORT SON, 10, LEAVING PARENTS HERE

Ruling Made in Case of American War Veteran's Child.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—Despite judicial sympathy the immigration laws were found inflexible to-day in the case of Michele Fornabalo, aged 10, who was ordered deported back to Italy from Ellis Island last summer in spite of the

ordered despoted sack to tally from the Ellis Island last summer in spite of the entreaties of his father and mother, who were allowed to remain.

The father, who served in the United States Army during the war, succeeded with a writ of habeas corpus in having the son released from a Genoa bound ship as she stopped at this port en route from New York. Ground for the deportation order was mental deficiency. After indicating his sympathy for the family's plight Judge Dickinson, in the United States District Court, ruled that the decision of the Federal medical authorities is final, and suggested that if the father, mother and son desire to remain together the alternative is to return to their native country.

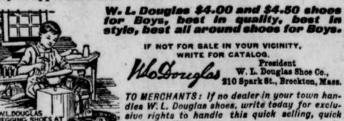
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The award, the second made, was delivered by Dr. Harvey Cushing, president of the American College. The first award was to Dr. William J. Mayo, the medal fund having been established in 1914.

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